

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Falkirk Mining Company
Renewal 6, Permit NAFK-9503
Application

Case No. RC-25-255

RENEWAL OF PERMIT TO ENGAGE IN
SURFACE COAL MINING AND RECLAMATION OPERATIONS

April 1, 2026

Based on the application received September 18, 2025, Renewal 6 to Permit Number NAFK-9503 is hereby granted to the Falkirk Mining Company to renew the permit subject to the requirements of Chapter 38-14.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, and the rules promulgated there under, in the following described areas:

All or portions of Sections 29, 30, 31, and 32, T146N, R83W; Section 36, T146N, R84W; Sections 7, 18, 19, and 30, T145N, R82W; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 32, 33, 34, 35, and 36, T145N, R83W; Sections 1, 2, 12, and 13, T145N, R84W; Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, and 9, T144N, R83W; and Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, and 12, T144N, R84W, McLean County, totaling 28,432.1 acres.

This five-year permit renewal will allow the Falkirk Mining Company to continue to operate under approved mining and reclamation plans for this permit area at the Falkirk Mine until April 17, 2031. Permit NAFK-9503 and other permits at the Falkirk Mine are part of a consolidated bond area currently covered by existing collateral bonds in the amount of \$114,823,633.

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